

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend page 1, paragraph 1 as follows:

--This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. application Serial No. 09/760,574, filed January 16, 2001; and, this application claims priority from U.S. Provisional application Serial No. 60/193,126, filed 30 March 2000, and French application No. 00 00798, filed January 21, 2000. Mention is also made of U.S. applications Serial Nos. 09/232,468, 09/232,469, and 09/232,279, each filed January 15, 1999. Each of the foregoing applications, and all documents cited therein or during their prosecution ("appln cited documents") and all documents cited or referenced in the appln cited documents, and all documents cited or referenced herein ("herein cited documents"), together with any manufacturer's instructions, descriptions, product specifications, and product sheets for any products mentioned herein, are hereby incorporated herein by reference.--

Please amend page 43, paragraph 1 (as numbered in the substitute specification, originally on page 36, line 5), as follows:

--The truncated from (deleted for its transmembrane (TM) and carboxy-terminal (Cter) domains) of the BHV-1 gB gene is obtained by ligating into the plasmid pVR1012 (Example 2) predigested with Sall and BamHI, bot a fragment having a size of 2234 bp obtained after digestion with Sall-PvuII of the plasmid pPB280 (Example 3.1.1) and a fragment of 56 pb obtained by pairing of the following nucleotides:

PB511 (52 mer) (SEQ ID NO 9)

5' CTGCACGAGCTCCGGTTCTACGACATTGACCGCGTGGTCAAGACGGACTGAG 3'

and

PB512 (56 mer) (SEQ ID NO 10)